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Serial Number: 10/604,303 Examiner: Juan D. Valentin			
Filed: July 9, 2003	Group Art Unit: 2877		
Title: REAL TIME IR OPTICAL SENSOR	IBM Corporation D/18G, B/300, Zip 482 2070 Route 52 Hopewell Junction, NY 12533-6531		

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